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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Applicant: Aronoff, et al.
Application Number: 09/782,586
Filing Date: February 12, 2001
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
RECONCILING TRANSACTIONS
BETWEEN A REPLICATION
SYSTEM AND A RECOVERED
DATABASE
Examiner Name: Chongshan Chen
Group Art Unit: 2172

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- (X) Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination in Response to March 9, 2004 Final Office Action
 - (X) Return Postcard

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- (X) RCE fee (\$385 small entity/\$770 large entity)
- (X) Extension of Time fee:
- (X) One Month (\$55/\$110)
 - () Two Month (\$210/\$420)
 - () Three Month (\$475/\$950)

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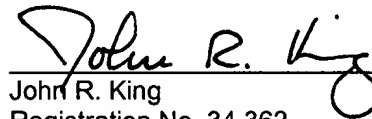
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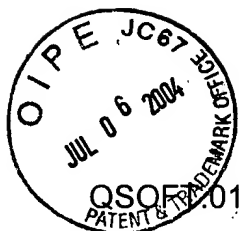
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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
IN RESPONSE TO MARCH 9, 2004 FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 9, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and comments concurrent with a filing of a Request for Continued Prosecution (RCE).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Examiner Interview begins on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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